

EOC Daily Emergency Management Report

Date: 4/24/2013 Time: 10:30 AM EST Report No: 106

Alerts & Warnings

FEMA National Watch Center – Watch/Steady State
National Terrorism Advisory System (NTAS) – No Current Alerts
Continuity of Operations (COOP) COGCON Level is 4
EPA HQ at Level 6 (Steady State)
EPA R6 REOC at Level 3 (extended response/single incident) for West, TX West Fertilizer Fire/Explosion and Mayflower, AR Oil Spill

EPA Headquarters Activities

ASPECT (Airborne Spectral Photometric Environmental Collection Technology) is operational and available for deployment in McKinney, TX.

Portable High Throughput Integrated Laboratory Identification Systems (PHILIS) labs and assets (located in Edison, NJ and Castle Rock, CO) are operational and available for deployment.

The ERT Trace Atmospheric Gas Analyzer (TAGA) (Edison, Las Vegas & RTP) & Mobile Command Posts are available for deployment.

Significant National Weather

West: Mostly dry and stable weather is expected today.

Midwest: A storm is moving across the Northern Plains, Mississippi River Valley, Central Plains and the Ohio and Tennessee River Valleys bringing rain and snow.

South: Rain and thunderstorms accompany a cold front bring hail and gusty winds across the Lower Mississippi River Valleys into the Southern Appalachian Range.

Northeast: The cold front moving in from the Midwest will bring showers and scattered thunderstorms into the Northeast. Thunderstorms in forecast in Pennsylvania this afternoon may produce hail and gusty winds.

Tropical Activity: There is no activity affecting U.S. territories.

Tornado Weather: There is less than a 2 percent chance of tornado activity in all areas of the United States today.

Significant Flood Outlook: There is significant river flooding occurring or likely to occur from the upper Mississippi Valley through Michigan. Flooding is also occurring in portions of North Dakota, South Dakota and Minnesota.

Critical Fire Weather: There is no Critical Fire Weather forecast throughout the United States today.

Report of Incident Notifications

There were 32 epaosc.org websites created and/or updated during this reporting period (4/23/13 – 4/24/13).

North Dakota Flooding. The Red River is expected to reach 32' feet by Sunday (major flood stage) and a Presidential Disaster Declaration is expected shortly after. FEMA is conducting pre-declaration (ie surge) work at this time. They have activated several Emergency Support Functions (ESFs) – ESF 3 (Public Works and Engineering), and ESF 13 (Public Safety and Law Enforcement) and they are ready to activate ESF 9 (Search & Rescue). EPA has not been given a Mission Assignment and we do not expect to get one this weekend.

Exercises / Pre-Deployments

Nothing to report.

Regional Daily Ops Status Report

Reported activities primarily represent NRC notifications with some state-level and other notifications to Regional Phone Duty Officers.

Reported Activities (4/23/13 – 4/24/13)

Region	Oil	Hazmat	Radiation	Other	Total	
Region 1	0	0	0	0	0	
Region 2	7	0	0	1	8	
Region 3	10	0	0	2	12	
Region 4	12	0	0	3	15	
Region 5	9	3	0	0	12	
Region 6	7	6	0	3	16	
Region 7	5	0	0	0	5	
Region 8	5	0	0	0	5	
Region 9	19	4	0	11	34	
Region 10	1	3	0	1	5	
Total	75	16	0	21	112	

Note: There were 7 unclassified events in the Hotline Log.